

10/590292
IAP9 Rec'd PCT/PTO 23 AUG 2000

10590292 - GAU: 3618

PTO/SB/08a (08-03)

U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

(Use as many sheets as necessary)

86

of

1

Comments if Known

<i>Complete if Known</i>	
<i>Application Number</i>	(Nat'l. phase of PCT/JP05/012970)
<i>Filing Date</i>	(Herewith)
<i>First Named Inventor</i>	Yoshiaki KIKUCHI
<i>Art Unit</i>	(Unassigned)
<i>Examiner Name</i>	(Unassigned)

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Signature	/Jeffrey Restifo/	Date Considered	06/16/2009
-----------------------	-------------------	--------------------	------------

***EXAMINER:** Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in compliance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in performance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. * Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional).² See *Kinds of Codes* of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.4. Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3).³ For Japanese patent documents, the usage date of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document.⁴ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible.⁵ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit which is to file (and prosecute) a patent application. The time required to complete the application will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments, or the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

ALL REFERENCES CONSIDERED EXCEPT WHERE LINED THROUGH. A.B./